massart newsletter

27-30 November and December 1

Monday, 27 November

Susan Matalo will be exhibiting recent paintings and drawings in the Overland Gallery through December 2

Exhibition: Glass students' work. Longwood Gallery through December 1.

Arts and Human Services presentation of slides and video on Children's Right to Play -- adventure play for all children. Space 46 7:30-9

Tuesday 28 November

A Video Presentation of a Paolo Soleri Lecture. Follow-up discussion by Juris Ubans, visiting artist and Chairman, Art Dept., University of Southern Maine. 4:00 PM, Room C-8 Longwood.

Mass Art's 1st Annual Illustration Show by MassArt's Junior illustrators. 2nd floor Fullerton (former Fashion Dept. room) Opening Wednesday Nov. 29th, 5:30 PM, showing through December 5, 1978

SIM Area Meeting. For majors, Graduate students and Faculty. 12:30, Space 46.

Wednesday, 29 November

Student Painting Association weekly meeting. 4th floor Overland, 1 PM

Thursday, 30 November

MCA Drop-in Center is sponsoring a film series: "Memories of Family", "A Man", and "Women Speaking of Men". These films will be shown consecutively in Longwood's Space 46 at 12:00, 3:00 and 6:30 PM. Refreshments provided.

The RUSH HOUR Coffee House - Longwood Cafeteria. Stop by on the way home. Beer, Wine, Food -- the works. Two live bands, entertainment, "Crosswinds" from Berklee College of Music. and return engagement of "Amy Foster". 5-10:--PM Longwood Cafeteria

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Faculty Association News:

Rick O'Neill of the Massachusetts Teachers Association has informed me that the salary provision of the contract was presented to the Governor on November 6 and that the Office of Employee Relations is in the process of reviewing the proposal for implementaiton. O'Neill indicated that no problems are anticipated.

At the Faculty Association meeting on November 16, the following faculty were elected to serve on the All-College Committee: Russell Doucette, Marjorie Hellerstein, Elizabeth Lindquist-Cock, Ron Hayes, Edward Movitz

Also, elected to serve on the Committee on Promotion were: William Brant,

Lila Chalpin, John Grepp, Bruce Hawthorne, Tom O'Hara

Non-tenured Faculty -- Your attention is directed to Article VIII, G, Evaluation by a Special Committee on Tenure (p 126) of the new Contract, which provides for a new evaluation procedure for tenure candidates. Faculty considered for tenure, this year in particular, should be familiar with the new provision.

-- Ed Movitz, President, Faculty Assn.

First Meeting of New MCA Governing Body, 1 December:

The All-College Committee (formerly the All-College Council) will have its first meeting under the new contract on Friday, December 1 at 9:30 AM in room C4-6. The agenda is as follows:

Election of Officers
Authorization of Committees
Assignment of Committee Members
Changes to Committees

Any person within the College community may bring matters to the ACC for consideration.

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On Thursday, November 30, The Art Education Department is hosting a meeting in the Visual Learning Resource Center of the Long-Range Planning subcommittee of the University Coordinators of Boston Public Schools Desegregation Projects. Participants will include project coordinators from Boston University, Northeastern, Wentworth Institute and the Cultural Education Collaborative as well as those from MassArt, Marianne Benson and Diana Korzenik.

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From Art School Associates:

Book Order forms have been distributed to faculty mail boxes. Any books that are REQUIRED TEXTS FOR SPRING should be ordered before December 22. Special arrangements can can be made for carrying "recommended" texts. Early return of these order forms will ensure the books being in stock for the beginning of your classes in January.

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Sign Up to Exhibit in Overland Gallery:

The Exhibitions Department is taking applications for students wishing to show in the Overland Gallery in the months of February, April or May. Consult Margo Stever, Co-ordinator of Exhibitions, Room B-5, Monday, Thursday and Friday, 9-5PM. Or leave request in her mailbox.

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Design Students Take Note: The Art Directors Club of Boston is having a competition in February as part of "Design 24", a three-day workshop it is holding in February. Entries will be called for shortly after the first of the year. For more information, call the Club at 426-8084.

Thinking About Soleri - Tuesday, November 28, 1978, 4 PM C-8 Longwood.

Juris Ubans, visiting artist and Chairman, Art Department of the University of Southern Maine, will share a videotape of lectures by Paolo Soleri, futurist architect/designer, and will then answer questions and initiate discussion about

Soleri's work. Mr. Ubans has worked extensively with Soleri and was coordinator of the collaboration between Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, Maine and Soleri's Cosanti Foundaiton in Scottsdale, Arizona. Mr. Ubans will also give a presentation to Peter London's Public Arts Administration class on Tuesday evening.

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The Latest on English High School's Magnet Art Program:

Students, parents and teachers of English High School's Magnet Art Program (in collaboration with MassArt)journeyed to New York City for a Museum Excursion on November 17-19. The trip was conceived and coordinated by Leslie MacWeeney as part of her job as parents' program Magnet Art Program Community Liaison.

The purpose of the Magnet Art Program Museum Excursion was to bring together a community of people: the second was to share the interest and experience of art.

Lesley MacWeeney's care and attention to every detail in coordinating this trip assured it success, enjoyed by all. Debbie Applebaum, MassArt's On-Site Coordinator of the high school assisted Leslie on preparations for the trip. The Excursion hosts were MassArt students - Laurie Schmidt, Rhuvette Franklin and Dorien Williams (the latter two are English High graduates now at Mass. Art.) The lecturers (Johanna Gill, Judith Hanhisolo and Diana Korzenik) led groups through the Metropolitan, Guggenheim and Brooklyn Museums.

More parent and community events are to take place throughout the year; interested MassArt faculty and students are welcome to join.

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